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PRESS RELEASE

PHILADELPHIA – Acting United States Attorney Laurie Magid and Montgomery County District Attorney Risa Vetri Ferman today announced the filing of an indictment¹ charging STEPHEN MCCALL with one count of being a convicted felon in possession of a firearm. The indictment arises out of an incident in Norristown, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania on March 1, 2008.

This indictment is part of Project Safe Neighborhoods, an initiative by the United States Attorney's Office, all District Attorney's Offices in the Eastern District of Pennsylvania, the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms & Explosives, the Federal Bureau of Investigation, and other law enforcement agencies to identify and prosecute firearms offenders in federal court, where the defendants are likely to receive a substantial sentence upon conviction.

INFORMATION REGARDING THE DEFENDANT

NAME	ADDRESS	AGE
Stephen McCall	Norristown, PA	38 years old

If convicted the defendant faces a maximum possible sentence of life incarceration, a 15 year mandatory minimum period of incarceration, five years of supervised release, a fine of \$250,000, and a \$100 special assessment.

The case was investigated by the Norristown Police Department, the Montgomery County District Attorney's Office, and the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms & Explosives. This case is being prosecuted by Special Assistant United States Attorney Christopher Parisi.

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